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Dear D^r Gray

We have a pretty good sale for Coniferous trees, & purchase the seeds of some kinds almost every year.

Before knowing that D^r Parry could obtain any for us, we had ordered some from one of your Seedsmen (including "Abies grandis" — one of the very kinds which D^r P. found). Pray send them therefore by all means. When we see what quantity there is

of good seed, we will gladly
make an offer to Mr. Sargent.
I am very glad to hear that
the live plants sent by Dr. Parry
are doing well.

Believe me they are
very sincerely

Yours
W. Backhouse